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# FRUITS, TREES

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## *and* FLOWERS

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Fall 1926



Acres of Peonies

# SARCOXIE NURSERIES



# PEONY FIELDS

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Wild Brothers Nursery Co., Sarcoxie, Mo.



## For Your Information

### How to Order

Just make a list of what you want, giving number, name, size and price. Tell us whether to ship by freight or express. If you do not we will ship as we think best. If you wish shipment at some special date tell us, otherwise we will ship when we think best according to season and locality. Our terms are cash but we will ship C. O. D. if half is sent with order. The express company charges extra for collecting and forwarding the money. Orders for future shipment should be accompanied by one-third the amount, balance at shipping time.

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Copy of certificate attached to each shipment.

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Please tell us whether you would rather have a larger size at the larger price or a smaller size at the smaller price, if we should be out of the size you order. Also tell us whether you want us to send a similar variety if we are out of any variety ordered. If you do not want us to do so, mark "No substitution" on your order. If you do not tell us what to do we are obliged to use our judgment. We prefer to have your instructions.

When we substitute the tree is labeled with the correct name of the variety filled. For example, if we sent Stayman Winesap in place of Winesap it would be labeled Stayman Winesap.

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Don't forget to tell us if your freight or express office is different from your postoffice.

### Why We Don't Prepay

Prices herein are not prepaid unless so stated. If we prepaid we would have to do like anyone else who prepaies—add it to the price we wanted to get and be sure to estimate it high enough so we wouldn't lose money on it on the average.

In a few cases, when stock can be sent by parcel post, we quote a price postpaid, because on light packages we can't miss it but a few cents anyway. If not quoted postpaid, and you want it by parcel post, allow extra for postage. We don't like to send C. O. D. for postage because it costs you 20c more. Trees larger than 3 to 4 ft. cannot be sent by parcel post.

### Our Guarantee

We exercise care and diligence to have our varieties true to label and sell all our stock with the express guarantee that we will, on proper proof, replace any that may prove otherwise, or refund the amount paid for same, which shall constitute the extent of our liability.

We undertake to send out stock in first class condition. Success or failure then depends largely on planting, after care, climatic conditions, etc. which we cannot control, some of which no one can control, so we cannot at these prices guarantee stock to live. Those nurseries who do guarantee stock to grow necessarily charge a higher price and the careful planter helps pay the loss of the careless. If for any reason stock is not in good condition when received, please write us promptly.

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# How Many Dollars Do You Spend for Fruit?

**H**ow many dollars a year do you spend for fruit, either fresh or canned? Did you ever stop to think that half that yearly sum, invested in a few fruit trees, would give you many times the amount of fruit you buy, and keep on giving it year after year? Some one has to raise all the fruit you eat. If you buy you pay some one a profit. When you raise your own you keep that profit in your pocket, you use more fruit, and you don't have to buy so much other table supplies on which you pay a profit.

## Peaches Bear the Third Year



**PEACHES** come into bearing quicker than any other tree fruit, under proper conditions giving a crop the third year. Select varieties from early to late and you can have three months of peaches. The trees won't cost as much as you would probably pay for peaches in one year. And none are so delicious as those freshly picked when fully ripened on the tree. A sandy loam or gravelly soil is best but the peach adapts itself to almost any well drained soil. Planted 16x16 ft. requires 170 per acre; 18x18 ft. 134 per acre.

Price of One-Year Peach:	Each	Per 10	Per 100
XX size, 11-16 in. caliper up, about 4 to 6 ft.....	\$0.45	\$4.00	\$35.00
Extra size, 9-16 to 11-16 in. caliper, about 4 to 5 ft.....	.40	3.50	30.00
Standard size, 7-16 to 9-16 in. caliper, about 3½ to 4½ ft.....	.35	3.00	25.00
Medium size, 5-16 to 7-16 in. caliper, about 2 to 3½ ft.....	.25	2.00	15.00

Any five or more at the 10 rate; less at the each rate; 50 or more at the 100 rate.

The following list is arranged approximately in the order of ripening. The dates named are the approximate average in this section.

**Mayflower**—The earliest; good size; red all over, semi-cling; good shipper; hardy; productive.

**Greensboro**—Large, creamy white, with a yellowish cast, beautifully colored crimson; flesh white, very juicy; an excellent early peach; mid June; hardy and a profuse bearer.

**Carman**—Large; creamy splashed red; juicy, rich, sweet, good; nearly free; hardy; productive.

**Champion**—Large; white, red cheek; flesh white, sweet, juicy, rich, delicious; freestone; early Aug., quite hardy; bears young; productive.

**Belle of Georgia**—Very large; white, red cheek; firm, juicy, high quality; freestone; early Aug.; hardy; very productive; an excellent shipper.

**Crawford Early**—Large; yellow, deep red cheek; rich, slightly sub-acid; freestone; early August.

**J. H. Hale**—A little more round and firmer than Elberta; about the same season.

**Elberta**—Very large; golden yellow, crimson cheek; firm, juicy, good; freestone; mid August, excellent shipper; vigorous, productive, profitable.

**Crosby**—Orange-yellow splashed red; medium size; juicy, rich; freestone; latter August; hardy.

**Indian Cling**—A red-fleshed clingstone, esteemed for preserving and canning.

**Crawford Late**—Large; yellow, deep red cheek; juicy, rich; freestone; latter Aug.-Sept.

**Stump**—Large; white, red cheek; flesh white, juicy, excellent; freestone; late August and September.

**Heath Cling**—Very large; creamy white, sometimes faintly blushed; flesh white to the pit, rich, very juicy, sweet, fine; latter Sept.

### PARCEL POST

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## Currants

**Red and White, strong 2-yr. 20c each; \$1.75 pr 10.**  
Because of shipping regulations currants cannot be shipped into Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma and Western States.

## Apple Profits



Ed Hauser, a farmer near Nashville, Kingman county, Kansas, does not live in an orchard section but this fall he made a net income of more than \$600 from a 2½ acre orchard. The 932 bushels of apples which he picked sold for \$732. The cost of spraying and picking was about \$130. The record was taken from Mr. Hauser's answer to a questionnaire on orchard spraying sent out by L. C. Williams, extension horticulturist at the Kansas State agricultural college.—Joplin (Mo.) Globe, Dec. 23, 1922.

### Price of Two-Year Apple:

	Each	Per 10	Per 100
XX size, about 4½ to 6 ft., 11-16 in. caliper and up, branched .....	\$0.65	\$6.00	\$55.00
Extra size, about 4 to 5 ft., ¾ to 11-16 in. caliper branched .....	.55	5.00	47.50
Standard size, about 3½ to 4½ ft., ½ to ¾ in. caliper, branched .....	.40	3.50	32.50
Medium size, 3 to 4 feet .....	.30	2.50	20.00

Any five or more at the 10 rate, less at each rate; 50 or more at the 100 rate.

## Summer Apples

Ripening dates named are approximate average here; allow 5 to 7 days for each 100 miles north or south. Altitude also affects the date.

**Early Harvest**—Bright straw; juicy, rich sub-acid; good; very early; bears rather young; productive.

**Red June**—Very red; juicy, brisk sub-acid, good; medium size; June-July; a young bearer.

**Sweet June**—Yellow; very sweet, rich and of good quality; vigorous and productive.

**Wilson June**—Deep crimson like Red June but sweet, larger and later; latter July-August; bears young.

**Yellow Transparent**—Good size; yellowish-white; fine grained, crisp, juicy, sprightly sub-acid; good for eating and cooking; mid June; hardy; a very young, regular and abundant bearer.

**Jonathan**—Very attractive, lively deep red; high flavor; excellent for dessert, cooking and market; firm, crisp, juicy, very aromatic, mild sub-acid; Oct. and later; bears rather young.

**Mammoth Black Twig**—Greenish, largely overspread, dull, deep red, sometimes almost black; very firm, moderately juicy, sub-acid, good; keeps late.

**Stayman Winesap**—Large; attractive shape; greenish-yellow striped and often nearly covered with dark red; firm, crisp, very juicy, aromatic, sprightly pleasant sub-acid; very good; keeps late.

**Winesap**—Bright deep red, flesh yellow, very rich, crisp, very juicy, sprightly sub-acid, very good; Dec.-March; bears young.

**York Imperial**—Large; attractive greenish-yellow shaded crimson; crisp, juicy, sub-acid, becoming mild; Dec.; bears heavily and rather young.

## Winter Apples

**Black Ben Davis**—Large; rich red to maroon; firm, juicy, mild sub-acid; keeps well, ships well; bears young, regularly and abundantly.

**Delicious**—Roundish conic, medium to large, pale yellow, mostly covered with red, striped dark carmine; juicy; mild sub-acid; good.

**Grimes' Golden**—Of best quality; beautiful golden yellow; medium to large; crisp, juicy, rich sub-acid, aromatic; fine dessert apple, good for cooking, especially fine canned; Oct.-Dec.; blooms late; hardy; bears young.

## Crab Apples

**Transcendent**—A large crab; golden yellow, crimson cheek; crisp, juicy, sub-acid; Aug.-Sept.

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## Made Good with Cherries



**S**CHUYLER STEVENS of Smith Center has demonstrated beyond question the value of cherries in Western Kansas. In 1915 he planted 500 trees. Now if you will recall the summers since 1915, every one excepting 1915 must be classed as drouthy seasons. In spite of adverse conditions, here is what Mr. Stevens says in a letter dated June 28, 1919: "The Dyehouse were the first to ripen, then the Early Richmond and now the Montmorencies are on hand. The Wragg will follow in July. I will have about 300 crates and they bring me \$3.00 net as I require the crates returned. This will bring me \$900 for the cherries on four acres the fourth season." \* \* I know Mr. Stevens personally, and I am familiar with his method of orcharding. \* \* \* The secret of his success has been cultivation. He has never allowed a weed to grow in his orchard.—Chas. A. Scott, in Kansas Farmer, March 6, 1920. Wragg and English Morello are very similar if not identical.

Plant 18 to 20 feet apart on well-drained ground. The list is arranged in the order of ripening.

### Price of Cherry:

	Each	Per 10	Per 100
XXX size 1 year 11-16 in. caliper up, about 4 to 5 feet, branched .....	\$0.75	\$7.00	\$65.00
XX size, 1 year 3½ to 4½ feet, 9-16 to 11-16 in. caliper, branched .....	.65	6.00	55.00
Extra size, 1 year, 3 feet to 4 feet, 7-16 to 9-16 in. caliper, branched .....	.50	4.50	40.00

Any five at the 10 rate, less at each rate; 50 or more at the 100 rate.

**Early Richmond** (May Cherry)—Medium size, round, bright red, darker when fully ripe; very juicy, sprightly acid; latter May-June; hardy, very productive; profitable; succeeds everywhere.

**Early Richmond**; vigorous, hardy, productive; successful everywhere.

**Royal Duke**—A half-sweet cherry; the nearest a sweet that succeeds here. XXX size only.

**English Morello**—Large, dark red, nearly black; flesh dark purplish crimson; juicy; rich acid; prolific; latter June-July; dwarfish.

**Montmorency**—Rather large, dark rich red; juicy, pleasant acid; excellent; a week later than

## Pear Trees

### Price of Garber and Kieffer.

	Each	Per 10	Per 100
XX size 2 year, 9-16 to 11-16 in. caliper, about 4 to 6 feet.....	\$0.60	\$5.50	\$50.00
X size 2 year, 7-16 to 9-16 in. caliper, about 3½ to 5 feet.....	.55	5.00	45.00

### Price of Bartlett.

XX size 2 year, 9-16 to 11-16 in. caliper, about 4 to 6 ft.....	.70	6.50	60.00
X size 2 year, 7-16 to 9-16 in. caliper, about 3½ to 5 ft.....	.60	5.50	50.00

Any 5 or more at the 10 rate; 50 or more at the 100 rate.

Pears are graded by caliper or diameter. The height is the approximate average and varies with the habit of the tree. Arranged approximately in order of ripening.

**Bartlett**—Large; waxy yellow with red blush; juicy, rich; latter August; bears young.

**Garber**—Large, waxy yellow, red cheek; early Sept.; good for canning and market and for pollinizing others; hardy; vigorous; very resistant to blight.

**Kieffer**—Very large, rich, yellow tinted red; very juicy; develops good flavor if ripened slowly in a cool, dark room; very resistant to blight, hardy, very productive, ships well, profitable pear; Sept.-Nov.; bears about the fifth year; plant Garber to pollinize it.

### DWARF PEARS

**Dwarf Pear**—Occupy little room, are valuable where space is limited and begin bearing young-er, often the year after planting.

They may be planted 10 to 12 feet apart and kept headed back.

**Duchesse d'Angouleme**—Very large, greenish yellow, dull red cheek; juicy, melting, slightly granular; Sept. Oct.; productive, hardy, vigorous.

XX, 5-8 in. caliper and up, 75c each; \$7.00 per 10; \$65.00 per 100.

## Plum Trees

Price of Plum:	Each	Per 10	Per 100
XX size, 1 1/16 in. caliper up, about 5 to 6 ft.....	\$0.60	\$5.50	\$56.00
Extra size, 5/8 to 1 1/16 in. caliper, about 4 to 5 ft., branched.....	.50	4.50	40.00
Standard size, 1/2 to 5/8 in. caliper, about 3 to 4 ft., branched.....	.40	3.50	30.00

Any five at the 10 rate, less at each rate; 50 or more at the 100 rate.



**Abundance—Japan.** Large bright red over yellow; juicy, sweet, rich; very good; cling; mid July; hardy, very productive; bears young.

**America—Large;** golden yellow, distinct red cheek; juicy; cling; July; hardy; productive; bears very young, one of the most reliable.

**Burbank—Japan.** Very large, bright, dark red on yellow; flesh yellow, firm, juicy, rich, sugary; cling; latter July; bears profusely.

**Deek Damson—A** great improvement on the common Blue Damson; larger, and the most productive Damson we have grown; small seed from which it parts when fully ripe; a very fine plum preserved or canned, developing excellent flavor; August.

**Red June—Japan;** dark coppery red; flesh yellow, juicy, sweet; semi-cling; early; productive.

## Blackberries

### Yield \$394 Per Acre

**Early Harvest Blackberry,** in experiments by the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station, yielded gross returns at the rate of \$347.60 per acre in 1919 and \$394.20 per acre in 1920.

Blackberries begin bearing the second year and may be depended on for regular, profitable crops under suitable conditions. They are at their best in a strong, deep loam that will retain moisture, tending toward clay rather than sand. If properly tended they may be planted 2x6 feet, requiring 3600 per acre.

**Early Harvest—The** most profitable of all on account of its extreme earliness, hardness and productiveness; glossy black, firm and ships well; growth strong. 35c per 10, 60c per 25, \$2.00 per 100, \$17.50 per 1,000.

50 at the 100 rate; 500 at the 1000 rate.

## Raspberries

### Bear the Second Year

They begin bearing the second year, ripen between strawberries and blackberries, sell well and are reliable croppers under suitable conditions. Deep soil that will retain moisture during a dry season is desirable. Planted 3x6 feet requires 2,420 per acre.

**Kansas—Black;** large; firm; of good quality; early; productive. 40c per 10; 85c per 25; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**St. Regis; Ranere—Bright red;** quality good; season very early and long. After the old canes have borne the young canes begin and in some sections bear freely till fall; in others, especially where the summers are dry, but little in the fall. If its success as an everbearer or fall bearer in your locality is unknown, try it in a limited way at first. 40c per 10, 70c per 25, \$2.50 per 100, \$20.00 per 1,000; 50 at 100 rate, 500 at 1000 rate.

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Blackberries

## Dewberries

### EARLIER THAN BLACKBERRIES

**Lucretia—Large,** often 1 1/2 inches long; sweet and luscious throughout; for size and quality is unexcelled by any of the blackberries; ripens at the close of the strawberry season before Early Harvest; the variety most extensively grown for market. 50c per 10; 90c per 25; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1,000. 50 at 100 rate; 500 at 1000 rate.

## Grapes Bear After Freezing



SINCE living in Kausas I have several times seen the new growth on our grape vines killed by frost; but found that where grapes had been kept well pruned and cultivated they possessed sufficient latent force, owing to their widespread root growth, to push out new shoots from otherwise dormant buds \* \* \* \* You will find when your grape vines are frozen, even as late as the first of May, that if all green matter is frozen dead, then otherwise dormant buds will break and the new growth from them will come right on and produce new shoots, from which a fair crop of grapes will grow; but if a single joint of the first crop of shoots is left the new growth will start from the green bud on such shoots, and the resultant growth will not produce any grapes but will produce a shoot with leaves only. So if the new growth is not frozen back to the previous year's wood it should at once be pulled off, thus forcing the latent buds to start.—Wm. H. Barnes, before the Kansas State Horticultural Society.

**Concord**—The most popular; large, black, juicy, sweet; vigorous, very hardy, healthy, productive; mid to late August here.

**Niagara**—Large; pale yellowish-green; juicy, sweet; good for table or market; a white Concord; ripens with it or a little later.

**Moore's Early**—Black; about two weeks before Concord; desirable for home and market for its size, season, hardness and productiveness.

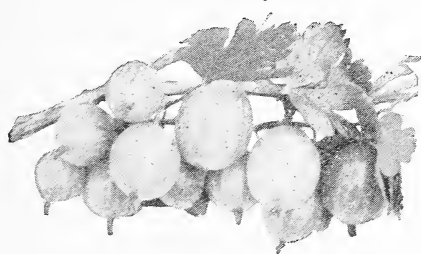
**Worden**—Black; large; about 5 to 10 days earlier than Concord; berries larger, of better quality; vigorous, healthy, productive.

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One-year No. 1.	One	Two	Three	Ten	Per 100
Concord	10c	18c	25c	\$0.70	\$ 6.00
Moore's Early	10c	28c	40c	1.20	10.00
Niagara	18c	32c	46c	1.40	12.00
Worden	16c	28c	40c	1.20	10.00

Five or more of a kind at the 10 rate; 25 or more of a kind at the 100 rate. Lots of 500 and over, Concord,  $\frac{1}{4}$ c each less, other varieties 1c each less.

## Gooseberries



Plant 3x5 or 4x5 ft. A northern slope is best, especially in the Central and Southern States. 5 at the 10 rate; 50 or more at the 100 rate.

**Houghton**—Of medium size, but a profuse bearer and a money maker. Very free from mildew; the best for most sections; glossy pale dull red-brown when ripe, but usually picked green.

One year 15 each, \$1.25 per 10, \$10.00 per 100.

Because of shipping regulations Gooseberries cannot be shipped into Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma and the Western States.

## Asparagus

The earliest of vegetables excepting Rhubarb. 50 at 100 rate; 500 or more at the 1000 rate.

**Conover's Colossal**—The standard market variety; very large; growth rapid; productive;

**Palmetto**—Large; early; productive; good; very resistant to rust; adapted to North and South.

### Prices of Above

2 yr., 40c per 25; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.50 per 1000.  
1 yr., 35c per 25; 1.25 per 100; 10.00 per 1000.

**Mary Washington**—One of the varieties developed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, bred for vigor and resistance to rust. Perhaps the best of the Washington strains for general planting.

Two year, 40c per 25; \$1.50 per 100; \$14.00 per 1000.

## Rhubarb or Pie Plant

Large, tender, delicately flavored stalks. Plant 2½x4 ft.; cover the crown 2 in. Easily grown. The secret of success is well drained soil.

Divisions, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100 Heavy Divisions, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

## Horseradish

Horseradish sets, 25c per dozen; \$1.50 per 100

## Hardy Flowering Shrubs

THE early days of Spring are brightened and made more cheerful by the great masses of Golden Bell, often blooming here in March. By a selection of those blooming at different times, for example, Pussy Willow, Dogwood, Deutzias, Bush Honeysuckle, Lilac, Mock Orange, Spirea, Hydrangeas, etc., a succession may be had until September. Shrubs give the lawn an attractive, finished appearance, and make a beautiful display in a year or two. They appear best in groups along the boundaries or division line, at the edges or corners of lawns, at the foundations of buildings, and along walks and drives.

Blooming dates named are for Southern Missouri. Five of a kind at ten rates.

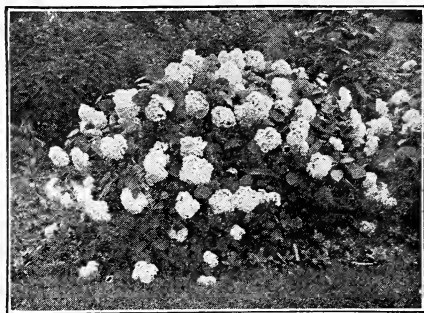
**Althea; Rose of Sharon**—Of upright habit, reaching a height of 10-15 feet; hollyhock-like, flowers in late summer; easily grown; double white, double pink, double red.  
2 to 3 feet .....35c each, \$3.00 per 10  
3 to 4 feet .....50c each, \$4.00 per 10

**Barberry, Thunberg's (Japanese Barberry)**—Dwarf, dense, spreading habit; graceful spiny branches; autumn leaves bronze and crimson; excellent for low hedges. This Barberry does not produce wheat rust. Berries bright red.  
Each Per 100  
12 to 18 inch, 2 year .....\$ .25 \$2.00 \$15.00

**Deutzia crenata double**—Covered in early spring with double tassel-like white flowers in racemes 4-6 inches.  
2 to 3 feet .....35c each, \$3.00 per 10  
3 to 4 feet .....45c each, \$4.00 per 10

**Deutzia Lemoine**—Similar to gracilis; a little taller, with broad panicles of white flowers.  
12 to 18 inches .....45c each, \$4.00 per 10

**Globe Flower; Japanese Rose (Kerria Japonica)**—Grows 4 to 6 feet tall with slender green branches; abundant single bright yellow flowers in spring.  
12 to 18 inches .....35c each, \$3.00 per 10  
18 to 24 inches .....45c each, \$4.00 per 10



This Hydrangea is well named Hills of Snow

**Deutzia Pride of Rochester**—In early spring fairly covered with double tassel-like flowers in racemes 4 to 6 in., long; white, outer petals rose.  
2 to 3 feet .....35c each, \$3.00 per 10  
3 to 4 feet .....45c each, \$4.00 per 10

**Golden Bell Intermedia (Forsythia Intermedia)**—This variety is intermediate in habit between the other two Golden Bells offered, with somewhat arching branches; golden flowers.  
18 to 24 inches .....30c each, \$2.50 per 10  
2 to 3 feet .....35c each, \$3.00 per 10  
3 to 4 feet .....45c each, \$4.00 per 10

**Golden Bell (Forsythia viridissima)**—In early spring a mass of golden flowers, even before the leaves are developed; erect in habit.  
18 to 24 inches .....30c each, \$2.50 per 10  
2 to 3 feet .....35c each, \$3.00 per 10  
3 to 4 feet .....45c each, \$4.00 per 10

**Golden Bell, Weeping (Forsythia suspensa)**—Droops gracefully; very long curving branches, well adapted to covering arches and trellises.  
18 to 24 inches .....30c each, \$2.50 per 10  
2 to 3 feet .....35c each, \$3.00 per 10  
3 to 4 feet .....45c each, \$4.00 per 10

**Honeysuckle, Bush**—A bush form of Honeysuckle, covered in early spring with white and pink flowers, followed by ornamental berries. Specify color you wish if you have a preference.  
18 to 24 inches .....25c each, \$2.00 per 10  
2 to 3 feet .....35c each, 3.00 per 10  
3 to 4 feet .....50c each, 4.00 per 10

**Honeysuckle Fragrantissima (Winter Honeysuckle)**—Grows 6 to 8 feet tall; flowers creamy-white or light yellow in very early spring; deliciously fragrant.  
2 to 3 feet .....40c each, \$3.50 per 10  
3 to 4 feet .....50c each, \$4.50 per 10

**Hydrangea Hills of Snow or Everblooming**—Well named for its profusion of large snow white flowers from June to August; easily grown.  
2 year .....50c each, \$4.50 per 10  
1 year .....40c each, \$3.50 per 10

**Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora**—Blooms profusely in August and September; flowers in great cone-shaped panicles, white, assuming rose tints.  
12 to 18 inches .....35c each, \$3.00 per 10  
18 to 24 inches .....50c each, \$4.50 per 10



The name Mock Orange is almost a sufficient description.

**LILACS, FRENCH**—The French Lilacs are more dwarf in habit than the common varieties, more varied in color and bloom younger, sometimes at two years old.

**Charles X**—A good single purplish-red.  
**Ludwig Spaeth**—Dark crimson-purple; single.  
**Marie Legraye**—Single white; blooms freely.  
**Mad. Abel Chatenay**—Large double white.  
**Mad. Lemoine**—Another fine double white.  
**Michael Buchner**—Double pale lilac-blue.  
**Persian Purple**—Single; dwarf; very fragrant.  
**Pres. Grey**—Large; double; soft blue.  
**Wm. Robinson**—Violet shaded pink; double.

Prices of above Lilacs:	Each	Per 10
15 to 18 inches.....	\$0.75	\$ 7.00
18 to 24 inches.....	1.00	9.00
2 to 3 feet.....	1.50	14.00

**Mock Orange**—The name is almost a sufficient description. It produces a profusion of creamy white, four-petaled flowers in late spring.

18 to 24 inches.....	25c each; \$2.00 per 10
2 to 3 feet.....	30c each; \$2.50 per 10
3 to 4 feet.....	35c each; \$3.00 per 10

**Pussy Willow**—Much esteemed for its extreme earliness, the fur-like bluish-gray catkins appearing before the leaves are developed.

2 to 3 feet.....	35c each; \$3.00 per 10
3 to 4 feet.....	50c each; \$4.00 per 10

**Quince, Japan**—Covered with brilliant scarlet flowers in early spring before the leaves appear.

18 to 24 inches.....	35c each; \$3.00 per 10
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**Spirea Anthony Waterer**—Dark crimson flowers in large flat-topped clusters in early summer and at intervals till fall if cut as they fade. Grows about 24-30 in. high.

12 to 18 inches.....	50c each; \$4.50 per 10
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**Spirea Billardi Pink**—Bright pink flowers in dense finger-like panicles 5-8 in. long in summer.

2 to 3 feet.....	40c each; \$3.50 per 10
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**Spirea Billardi alba**—White flowers in dense feathery finger-like panicles in summer.

2 to 3 feet.....	35c each; \$3.00 per 10
3 to 4 feet.....	40c each; 3.50 per 10

**Spirea Callosa alba**—Large flat clusters of white flowers; dwarf; grows about 2 to 3 ft. high.

10 to 12 inches, bushy.....	35c each; \$3.00 per 10
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**Spirea Golden**—Splendid for producing bright foliage effects or for screens; bright golden leaves, changing in summer to golden bronze; flowers numerous in clusters along the branches.

18 to 24 inches.....	30c each; \$2.50 per 10
2 to 3 feet.....	40c each; \$3.50 per 10
3 to 4 feet.....	50c each; \$4.50 per 10

**Spirea Van Houttei** (Van Houtte's Bridal Wreath)—A fountain of white in May or June with its dense drifts of flower clusters on gracefully arching branches.

1 to 2 feet.....	25c each, \$2.00 per 10
2 to 3 feet.....	35c each, 3.00 per 10
3 to 4 feet.....	50c each, 4.50 per 10



Spirea Van Houttei, a fountain of white in May.

**Tamarix Africana**—The Tamarisks are shrubs of upright growth with light, feathery foliage similar to Asparagus and miniature flowers in rather dense panicles. Africana is light pink and blooms in the spring.

18 to 24 inches.....	25c each; \$2.00 per 10
2 to 3 feet.....	35c each; \$3.00 per 10
3 to 4 feet.....	50c each; \$4.50 per 10

**Tamarix Amurensis**—Dainty pink flowers in summer.

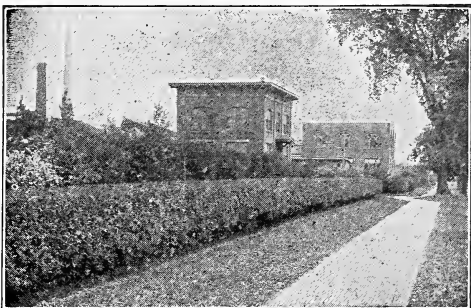
18 to 24 inches.....	25c each; \$2.00 per 10
2 to 3 feet.....	35c each; \$3.00 per 10
3 to 4 feet.....	50c each; \$4.50 per 10

**Tamarix Odessana**—Pink flowers in late summer; grows 4 to 6 feet tall.

18 to 24 inches.....	25c each; \$2.00 per 10
2 to 3 feet.....	35c each; \$3.00 per 10
3 to 4 feet.....	50c each; \$4.50 per 10

## Privet Hedging

FIFTY OR MORE AT THE 100 RATE



**Amor River of the North**—Resembles California but more spreading and much harder. Has never frozen down here; white flowers like miniature lilacs.

	Per 10	Per 100
2 yr., 1 to 1½ ft., well branched.....	1.00	8.50
2 yr., 1½ to 2 ft., well branched.....	1.50	12.00
2 yr., 2 to 3 ft., well branched.....	2.00	15.00

**Ibolum**—A cross of Ibota and California. The foliage resembles that of California, but Ibolum is much harder, more branching and more spreading in growth. Use in place of California.

	Per 10	Per 100
2 yr., 12-18 in., well branched.....	\$1.00	\$ 8.00
2 yr., 18-24 in., well branched.....	1.50	12.00
2 yr., 2-3 ft., well branched.....	2.00	15.00

## Shade Trees

Five or more of a kind at the 10 rate.

Elm, American White.		
8 to 10 feet.....	\$1.50 each; \$12.50 per 10	
10 to 12 feet.....	\$1.75 each; \$15.00 per 10	

Maple, Soft, White or Silver.		
4 to 5 feet.....	\$0.40 each; \$3.50 per 10	
6 to 8 feet.....	\$0.70 each; \$6.00 per 10	

Maple, Sugar (Hard or Rock Maple).		
8 to 10 feet.....	\$1.25 each; \$10.00 per 10	
1¼ to 1½ in. caliper.....	\$1.75 each; \$15.00 per 10	
1½ to 2 in. caliper.....	\$2.50 each; \$20.00 per 10	
2 to 2½ in. caliper.....	\$3.50 each; \$30.00 per 10	

Poplar, Lombardy—Tall pyramidal habit.		
4 to 6 feet.....	\$0.35 each; \$ 3.00 per 10	
8 to 10 feet.....	\$0.90 each; \$ 7.50 per 10	
10 to 12 feet.....	\$1.25 each; \$10.00 per 10	

Poplar, Norway—Similar to Carolina.		
8 to 10 feet.....	\$1.00 each; \$ 9.00 per 10	
10 to 12 feet.....	\$1.25 each; \$11.00 per 10	

Willow, Babylonian Weeping.		
4 to 6 feet.....	.45c each; \$4.00 per 10	
6 to 8 feet.....	.70c each; \$6.00 per 10	



## Hardy Evergreens

Our evergreens have been transplanted several times, to secure an abundance of fibrous roots. At these prices the roots will be dug with a ball of earth wrapped in burlap, termed "balled and burlapped," or B. & B. Five of a kind at the 10 rate, less at the each rate.

**Arborvitae, American**—Upright habit; foliage bright green assuming bronze tints in winter.  
2 to 3 feet.....\$3.00 each; \$27.50 per 10  
3 to 4 feet.....\$4.00 each; \$35.00 per 10

**Arborvitae, American Pyramidal**—In form an almost perfect column; branches short, densely covered with bright green foliage.  
18 to 24 inches.....\$2.00 each, \$17.50 per 10  
2 to 3 feet.....\$3.00 each, \$27.50 per 10  
3 to 4 feet.....\$4.50 each, \$40.00 per 10

**Arborvitae, Blue-Green**—An attractive variety similar to Rosedale but more spreading in habit.  
18 to 24 inches.....\$2.75 each; \$25.00 per 10  
2 to 3 feet.....\$3.50 each; \$32.50 per 10

**Arborvitae, Chinese Golden Dwarf or Berek-man's (Biota aurea nana)**—In spring and summer gold suffused with green, in winter green to bronze green; dwarf, compact; of superb shape.  
12 to 15 inches.....\$2.50 each; \$22.50 per 10  
15 to 18 inches.....\$3.50 each; \$30.00 per 10

**Arborvitae, Chinese Pyramidal**—A pyramidal type of the Chinese with green foliage.  
18 to 24 inches.....\$3.00 each; \$25.00 per 10  
2 to 3 feet.....\$4.00 each; \$40.00 per 10

**Arborvitae, Globe**—A low, compact form of the American type, globular in outline.  
10x10 inches.....\$1.50 each, \$14.00 per 10  
12x12 inches.....2.00 each, 18.00 per 10

**Arborvitae Goldspire (Biota aurea conspicua)**—The best large growing golden evergreen.  
4 to 5 feet.....\$ 9.00 each; \$ 80.00 per 10  
5 to 6 feet.....\$12.00 each; \$110.00 per 10

**Arborvitae, Rosedale**—Bluish green finely cut foliage, its color well retained during winter.  
12 to 18 inches.....\$1.50 each; \$14.00 per 10  
18 to 24 inches.....\$2.25 each; \$20.00 per 10

**Cypress, Plume (Retinospora plumosa)**—Conical in outline; feathery, plume-like foliage.  
18 to 24 inches.....\$2.00 each; \$18.00 per 10  
2 to 3 feet.....\$3.00 each; \$25.00 per 10

**Cypress, Golden Plume (Retinospora plumosa aurea)**—A form with golden tipped foliage.  
2 to 3 feet.....\$3.00 each; \$25.00 per 10

**Juniper, Irish**—Finely cut bluish green foliage; dense, slender, columnar; growth rapid.  
12 to 18 inches.....\$1.50 each; \$14.00 per 10  
18 to 24 inches.....\$2.50 each; \$22.50 per 10



Evergreens "Balled and Burlapped."

Pyramidal Arborvitae (center), Globe Arborvitae (left), Chinese Golden Dwarf Arborvitae (right).

**Juniper, Savin**—Low and spreading habit.  
18 to 24 inch spread.....\$3.00 each; \$27.50 per 10  
2 to 3 feet spread.....\$4.00 each; \$35.00 per 10

**Spruce Norway**—Becomes a large tree with spreading branches and often pendulous branchlets; leaves  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 1 in. long, cones 4 to 7 in. long.  
18 to 24 inches.....\$1.75 each; \$15.00 per 10  
2 to 3 feet.....\$2.50 each; \$22.50 per 10

## Hardy Climbing Roses

55c each, 5 or more at 50c each; field grown.

**American Pillar**—Carmine and rosy pink, white center; single; large clusters.

**Climbing American Beauty**—The same color and fragrance as American Beauty, but a climber. A fine rose; should be in all collections.

**Dorothy Perkins, Pink**—A beautiful shell pink, becoming lovely deep rose; sweet scented.

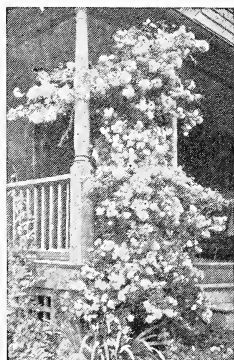
**Dr. W. Van Fleet**—A delicate shade of flesh pink deepening to rosy flesh in the center.

**Lady Gay**—Delicate cherry pink passing to soft tinted white; fragrant; vigorous.

**Red Dorothy Perkins (Excelsa)**—Brilliant crimson; very double for a climber; glossy foliage.

**Thousand Beauties**—Soft pink to carmine rose; large clusters; fragrant; vigorous; long stems.

**White Dorothy Perkins**—A pure white sport of the popular Dorothy Perkins; excellent.



Rambler Rose

## Hardy Bush Roses

Two year, field grown.....55c each; Any five or more at 50c each, except as noted.

**American Beauty**—The well known red bush American Beauty. 75c each, \$7.00 per 10.

**Clothilde Soupert**—White shading to silvery pink center; blooms in clusters all summer long

C. F. Meyer—Deep bright pink.

**Frau Karl Druschki**—Long pointed buds; large pure white flowers; the White American Beauty.

**Gen. Jack**—Handsome blooms of bright shining crimson, rich, brilliant and velvety; fragrant

J. B. Clark—Large deep scarlet.

**Paul Neyron**—Deep shining rose, perhaps the largest of roses; blooms freely; very fragrant.



Climbing American Beauty

## Everblooming Roses

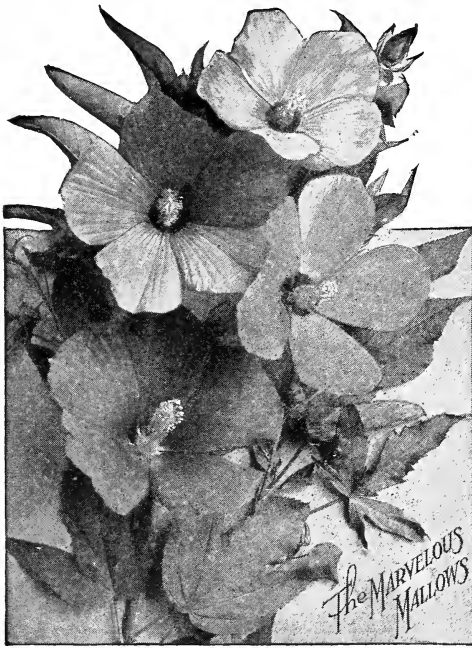
Will be quoted in the spring catalog or by letter on request.



## Miscellaneous Hardy Flowers

**THESE** are all hardy, easily grown flowers that live from year to year. Good, strong, outdoor grown plants, not the tiny plants offered in cheap collections by parcel post. Six of a kind at dozen rates. Postage extra if wanted by parcel post.

**Blanket Flower** (*Gaillardia grandiflora*)—Flowers 2 to 3 in. across, maroon bordered yellow, as gaudy as a Navajo blanket; blooms from June till fall; easily grown. 15c each, \$1.50 per doz.



Six to Ten Weeks of Marvelous Mallows

**Columbine** (*Aquilegia*)—Many dainty small branches bear the spurred flowers in profusion on spikes 1½ to 2 ft. tall. Mixed colors, 15c each, \$1.50 per doz.

**Daisy, Shasta Alaska**—A flower every one can grow; very large, showy white daisies with a golden center, in great abundance on long stems during summer and fall if cut as they fade. 10c each, 3 for 25c, 12 for 75c.

**Hollyhocks**—Double red, double rose, double yellow, double white. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

**Larkspur Belladonna**—Beautiful spikes of dainty spurred flowers of the delightful blue of the skies; unrivalled for persistent blooming. 20c each, \$2.00 per doz.

**Larkspur Bellamosa**—A dark blue form of Belladonna. 20c each, \$2.00 per doz.

**Larkspur Formosum**—Deep blue, white eye. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

**Larkspur Indigo**—Pure indigo blue; tall. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

**Marvelous Mallows**—Six to ten weeks of flowers resembling immense single hollyhocks—the size of a pie plate and larger. Beautiful pinks, red bluish and white, beginning in July. Makes a grand display the first year.

1 year, separate colors.....25c each, \$2.50 per doz.

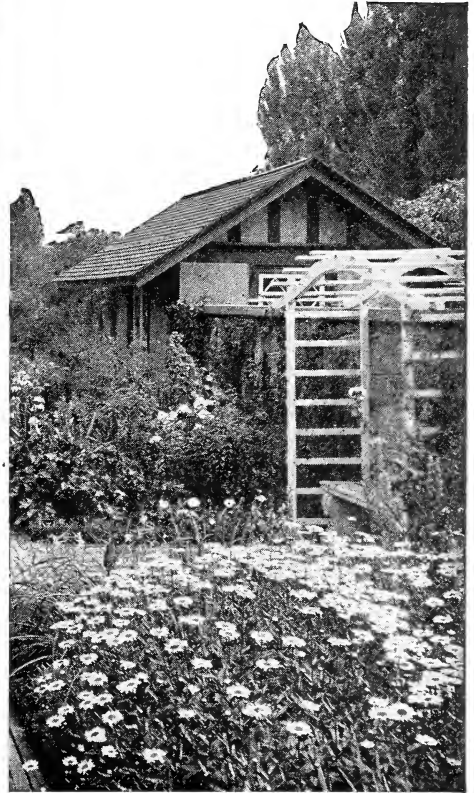
1 year, mixed colors.....20c each, 2.00 per doz.

2 year, separate colors.....50c each, \$5.00 per doz.

2 year, mixed colors.....40c each, 4.00 per doz.

**Sweet William** (*Dianthus barbatus*)—A very popular flower, somewhat resembling phlox but with broad, rather flat, compact trusses instead of pyramidal panicles and the Sweet William are more varied in color—white, pink, red, crimson and variegated; blooms profusely in May while most phlox bloom in July; fragrant. These are grown from a specially fine mixture of seed; will bloom the first spring. For the most imposing effects plant in large groups. Mixed (cannot supply separate colors). 15c each, 3 for 40c, \$1.50 per doz.; 2 doz. for \$2.50; 4 doz. each, and over at \$1.00 per dozen.

**Violets, Sweet Russian, Single**—The hardest of violets; easily grown; in early spring a mass of fine single deep purple violets with delicate fragrance. 10c each, 3 for 25c, 12 for 75c. 25 for \$1.50.



Ten weeks of Shasta Daisies.

10 cents each, 3 for 25 cents, 12 for 75 cents.

### Parcel Post

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## Liberty Irises—Fleur-de-lis

ALSO called German Irises. To those only familiar with the old common Flags many of the newer kinds will be a revelation. Perfectly hardy, easy to grow, they reward you with a lavish wealth of bloom, their iridescent colors, found in no other flower, shimmering in the sun. Well named "The Orchid of the Garden." They grow almost anywhere but do best in well drained, rich loam or garden soil.

The standards are the upright or standing petals. The falls are the lower or drooping petals. The inches mentioned is the approximate height of the flower stems.

**PRICE:** 15c each, 3 of a kind for 40c; \$1.50 per dozen except as otherwise quoted. Six of a kind at dozen rates.

**Black Prince**—Very deep rich velvety royal purple; early; 24 inch, 20c each, \$2.00 per doz.

**Caprice**—Standards cerise, falls deeper; early; 24 inches, 20c each, \$2.00 per doz.

**Caterina**—Standards light blue, falls lilac; very large; very tall; fine. 50c each.

**Celeste**—Azure blue, slightly deeper falls; mid-season; large; 30 inch.

**Crimson King**—Rich claret purple; 24 inches.

**Dr. Bernice**—Standards coppery bronze, falls velvety crimson; large; 24 in. 20c each, \$2 pr. doz.

**Eldorado**—Standards light blue, falls bronze purple; midseason; 30 in., 25c each, \$2.50 per dozen.

**Honorabilis**—Gold and crimson-brown; early; 18 inch.

**Ingeborg**—Large; pure white; very early; dwarf, about 15 in., 20c each, \$2.00 per doz.

**Khedive**—Beautiful soft lavender; 30 inches.

**Loreley**—Standards canary, falls purple edged yellow; early; 30 in. 20c each, \$1.80 per doz.

**Mrs. H. Darwin**—White, base veined violet; medium early; good; blooms freely; 24 inches.

**Monsignor**—Standards satiny violet, falls purple-crimson; large; late; 24 in. 35c each, \$3.50 per dozen.

**Orientalis Blue**—Deep blue; late; 24 inches. **Perfection**—Standards light blue, falls dark velvety violet-black. 20c each, \$2.00 per dozen.

**Queen of May**—Large lilac-pink; midseason; 32 inch.

**Sapho**—Violet-blue and royal purple; early; 30 inch.

**Speciosa**—Lavender purple and reddish purple.

**Violacea grandiflora**—Large; rich violet blue; late; 32 inch. 20c each, \$2.00 per doz.

**Walhalla**—Standards light violet, falls deep purple; early; very large; 24 inches.

**Irises to Color, not named**—Shades of yellow, lavender, blue, purple, white and pink, 10c each, 90c per doz., \$6.00 per 100.

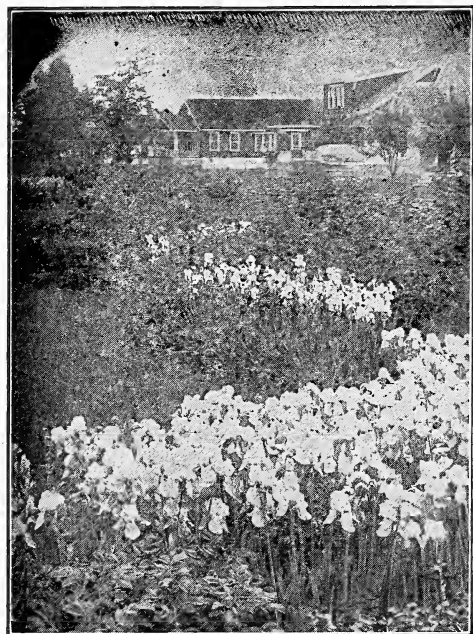
**Iris Special Collection F**—Assorted our selection, named varieties, half doz., 3 varieties, 70c; one doz., 6 varieties, \$1.25; 25, 6 varieties, \$2.25; 100, 6 varieties, \$7.50.

### Japanese Irises

The Japanese differ from the Liberty Irises in the flatness of the flower, shades of color, size of flower and breadth of petals. Large and showy. They should be planted in full sun. Any rich, mellow loam will produce flowers of wondrous size. Water must not stand on the roots. White, blue, and lavender, 25c each, \$2.50 per doz.

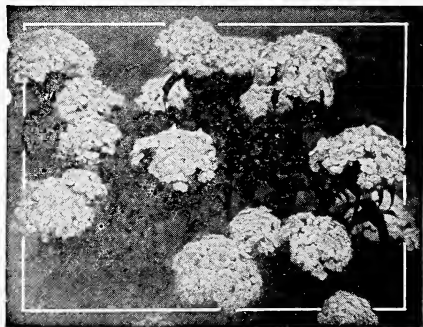
### Parcel Post

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Liberty Iris are easily grown.

**Special Collection F**—Assorted, our selection: Half dozen, three varieties, 70c; one dozen, six varieties, \$1.25; 25, 6 varieties, \$2.25; 100, 6 varieties, \$7.50.



Sweet Williams (See page 11)

## Peonies are Easily Grown

Hardy as the Oak, Peonies are so easily grown that little need be said. Often in neglected gardens one sees large clumps that have flourished and bloomed for years. Yet they amply repay all attention given them. The flowers are large and showy without being coarse, and range in color from snowy white through all shades of pink and red, with even yellow. Many are delightfully fragrant. They give a grand display, blooming here in May.

### How We Describe Peonies

We have endeavored to convey as accurate an impression of the colors as can be done by words. The guards are the wide outer petals. Bomb, crown, semi-rose and rose refer to the type or form of flower, classified as follows:

**Crown**—Has wide center or crown petals with narrower, shorter petals forming a collar or ring between them and the guards. The crown petals are not always prominent.

**Bomb**—Central petals of uniform width but narrower than the guards and forming a globe within the guards.

**Semi-rose**—Flowers that would be classed as rose but for an occasional pollen bearing stamen.

**Rose**—Perfectly full, all petals wide, no stamens. The central petals may not be as wide as the guards, but if quite distinct it would be a bomb. The line dividing the rose and bomb is sometimes quite an arbitrary one.

There are no single peonies in this list except those described as single. The name and date in parentheses is the originator and date of introduction.

### Peony Sizes and Prices

Prices are for good strong divisions averaging 3 to 5 eyes, from blooming plants. We consider them fully equal to one-year plants, they cost less and they average larger than those usually sent out, many of which are grown from small divisions to make more plants. Planted early in the fall, most if not all our divisions should give one, sometimes two blooms the first season, and they increase in size and profusion of bloom as they become established. If you want something larger order 5 to 8 eyes at 50 per cent advance, or 8 to 10 eyes at double the printed price. Postage extra if by parcel post.

Three of a kind at the dozen rate. Larger lots quoted by letter.

**Augustin d'Hour (Calot, 1867)**—Deep rich, brilliant solferino red with slight silvery reflex; large bomb type; midseason; strong, vigorous, medium tall; fine, \$1.00 each.

**Baroness Schroeder (Kelway, 1889)**—Large, beautiful blooms with a delicate tea rose fragrance; delicate flesh becoming white; globular rose type; midseason; growth strong, erect, tall; blooms freely; fine, \$1.50 each.



Crown of Gold Peony

**Canari (Guerin, 1861)**—Guards white, barely tinted flesh, center sulphur white becoming pure white; large; fragrant; bomb type; late midseason; long, strong stems; blooms freely; good. 40c each, \$1.00 per dozen.

**Candidissima (Calot, 1856)**—Guards pure white, center tinged sulphur becoming pure white; large; fragrant; rose type; early; a good grower; blooms freely. 35c each, \$3.50 per doz.

**Claire Dubois (Crousse, 1883)**—Rich, clear satiny pink, edged silvery, with a silvery sheen; very large, globular, rose type flower with very broad incurved petals; late; growth strong; erect, tall; blooms freely; fine, \$1.00 each, \$10 per doz.

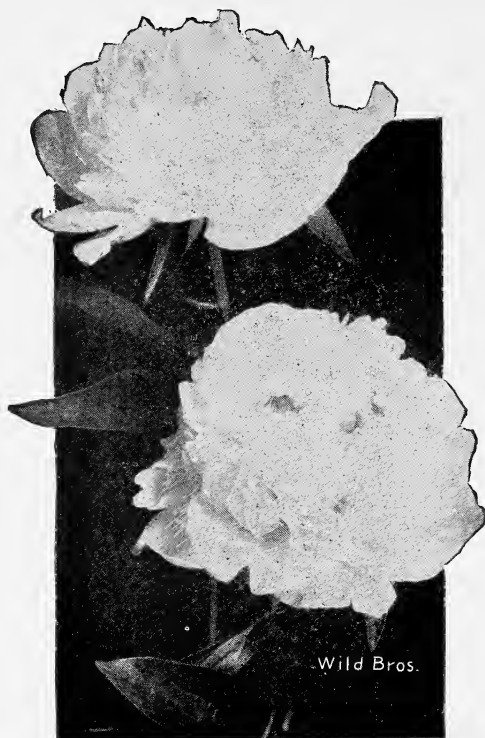
**Crown of Gold (Couronne d'Or; Calot, 1873)**—Famous for its beauty; snowy white, reflecting the golden stamens and lighting up the flower; center petals beautifully flecked and bordered carmine; immense semi-rose type flowers; fragrant; late; growth upright, vigorous, with very strong stems; blooms freely; late; fine. 50c each, \$5.00 per dozen.

**Delicatissima**—Clear delicate shell pink; large; rose type; fragrant; midseason to late; long stems; blooms freely; similar to Floral Treasure but stronger in growth. 45c each, \$4.50 per doz.

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## Peonies, Continued



Ma. de Verneville is literally packed with petals

**Duc de Cazes (Guerin, 1850)**—Broad, lively carmine-red guards, center deep rose; crown type; midseason; medium size but vigorous growth and blooms freely. 30c each, \$3.00 per doz.

**Duchesse de Nemours (Calot, 1856)**—One of the best regardless of price. Superb ivory white with greenish markings toward the center, becoming pure white without a trace of crimson; one of the most beautiful both in the half open bud and full blown; medium to large; crown type; medium early to midseason; strong, vigorous growth; good stems; blooms freely. 40c each, \$4.00 per doz.

**Duchesse d'Orleans (Guerin, 1846)**—Large carmine pink guards, center soft pink interspersed with salmon, becoming amber yellow; medium to large; bomb type; fragrant; midseason. This peony deserves a better rating than it gets. It is an extra strong, vigorous grower, very tall, a free bloomer and can be depended on for an abundance of blooms year after year. Ships well as a cut flower. 30c each, \$3.00 per doz.

**Duke of Wellington (Calot, 1859)**—Another indispensable variety. Two rows of broad white guards, center very full, sulphur white becoming pure white; fragrant; very large; bomb type; late; blooms freely; vigorous, with long, strong stems; as a cut flower, keeps and ships well; fine. 50c each, \$5.00 per dozen.

**Edulis superba (Lemon, 1821)**—Beautiful bright deep rose pink flowers with a quite extraordinary fragrance; crown type; large and of good form; extra early, several days before Festiva maxima, blooms freely over a long period; growth strong, vigorous, with long, strong stems. An extra good variety, both for lawn and cut flowers. 30c each, \$3.00 per dozen.

**Felix Crousse (Crousse, 1881)**—Very brilliant, rich, even dazzling ruby red; large; globular, solid and compact; bomb type; midseason; fragrant; blooms freely; fine. 75c each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Festiva maxima (Mieliez, 1851)**—For enormous size combined with wondrous beauty this variety has stood unsurpassed for 75 years. Pure paper white, some central petals flecked carmine; very large; rose type; very fragrant; early; very vigorous, with very long, heavy stems. You can't plant too many Festiva maxima. 50c each, \$5.00 per dozen.

**Floral Treasure (Rosenfield, 1900)**—Clear delicate shell pink; large; rose type; fragrant; midseason to late. Similar to Delicatissima. 40c each, \$4.00 per dozen.

**Francois Ortegat (Parmentier, 1850)**—Deep purplish crimson with golden stamens; semi-rose type; medium size; midseason to late; blooms freely; long stems. 45c each, \$4.50 per dozen.

**Germaine Bigot (Dessert, 1902)**—Very large; glossy flesh pink shaded salmon, center flecked crimson; crown type; midseason; strong, erect, stems medium long; blooms freely, \$1.00 each.

**James Kelway (Kelway)**—Fine waxy white, guards delicately tinted flesh when first opening; very large; semi-rose type; midseason; stems medium long; blooms freely. \$1.50 each.

**Jeanne d'Arc (Calot, 1858)**—Broad soft pink guard petals, sulphur white collar, blush center with an occasional broad central petal same color as guards, sometimes tipped and striped light crimson; medium to large; bomb to informal rose type; fragrant; midseason; growth strong, good habit, blooms freely. 45c each, \$4.50 dozen.

**La Fiancee (Lemoine, 1898)**—Very large, creamy white, center flecked crimson; crown type; midseason; strong; vigorous. Should not be confused with the single La Fiancee of Dessert. \$2.00 each.

**La Perle (Crousse, 1885)**—Very large; bright light pink to flesh pink; rose type; fragrant; midseason; tall; blooms freely. \$1.50 each.

**Madame Auguste Dessert (Dessert, 1899)**—Exquisitely colored; glossy deep flesh pink, guards and some petals edged crimson; large to very large; semi-rose type; early to midseason; growth strong, stems medium long; blooms freely. \$2.50 each.

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Duchess de Nemours Peony.

## PEONY COLLECTIONS

These special prepaid offers are for orders placed before January 1, 1927.

### Peony Collection A, \$1.00

- 1 Each pink, white and red, our selection, prepaid... \$1.00

### Peony Collection B, \$2.00

- |   |                                                  |        |
|---|--------------------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Edulis superba; early deep rose pink .....       | \$ .30 |
| 1 | Festiva maxima; early white flecked carmine .... | .50    |
| 1 | Crown of Gold; late white flecked carmine .....  | .50    |
| 1 | Francois Ortegat; deep purplish crimson .....    | .45    |
| 1 | Duchesse de Nemours; ivory white .....           | .40    |
| 1 | Duchesse d'Orleans; midseason pink and salmon .. | .30    |

Regular price, not prepaid .....	\$2.15
<b>SPECIAL:—The 6 prepaid for .....</b>	<b>2.00</b>

### Peony Collection C, \$5.00

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|---|--------------------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Madame de Verneville; fine early white .....     | \$ .50 |
| 1 | Festiva maxima; early white flecked carmine .... | .50    |
| 1 | Crown of Gold; late white flecked carmine .....  | .50    |
| 1 | Canari; sulphur white becoming pure white .....  | .40    |
| 1 | Duchesse de Nemours; ivory white .....           | .40    |
| 1 | Delicatissima; delicate shell pink .....         | .45    |
| 1 | Edulis superba; early deep rose pink .....       | .30    |
| 1 | Zoe Calot; soft pink tinted lilac .....          | .40    |
| 1 | Queen Emma; large bright light pink .....        | 1.00   |
| 1 | Felix Crousse; rich dazzling ruby red .....      | .75    |
| 1 | Francois Ortegat; deep purplish crimson .....    | .45    |
| 1 | Delache; violet crimson .....                    | .50    |

Regular price, not prepaid .....	\$6.10
<b>SPECIAL:—The 12 prepaid for .....</b>	<b>5.00</b>

### Peony Collection D, \$10.00

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|---|------------------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Augustin d'Hour; brilliant solferino red ..... | \$1.00 |
| 1 | Baroness Schroeder; flesh becoming white ..... | 1.50   |
| 1 | Claire Dubois; rich clear satiny pink .....    | 1.00   |
| 1 | Felix Crousse; rich dazzling ruby red .....    | .75    |
| 1 | Germaine Bigot; flesh pink shaded salmon ..... | 1.00   |
| 1 | Mad. Auguste Dessert; deep flesh pink .....    | 2.50   |
| 1 | Madame Ducl; silvery lilac pink .....          | .75    |
| 1 | Madame Emile Galle; soft lilac pink .....      | .75    |
| 1 | Modeste Guerin; bright deep pink .....         | 1.00   |
| 1 | Mons. Jules Elie; silvery lilac pink .....     | 1.50   |
| 1 | Octave Demay; delicate Hydrangea pink .....    | 1.00   |
| 1 | Edulis superba; early deep rose pink .....     | .30    |

Regular price, not prepaid .....	\$13.05
<b>SPECIAL:—The 12 prepaid for .....</b>	<b>10.00</b>

# SARCOXIE NURSERIES

# PEONY FIELDS

Wild Bros. Nursery Co., Sarcoxie, Mo.



**Madam Bollet (Calot 1867)**—Light rose; globular rose type; midseason. 50c each.

**Madame Calot (Mieliez, 1856)**—Opens very delicate pink becoming white; fragrant; large; rose type; early; strong stems; blooms freely. 40c each, \$4.00 per dozen.

**Madame Chaumy (Calot, 1864)**—Soft pink shaded bright rose, color somewhat splashed on; fragrant; rose type; medium size; midseason; blooms freely in clusters. 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

**Madame de Verneville (Crousse, 1885)**—An enormous producer of extra fine flowers; large, compact, and very full, literally packed with petals; broad white guards, center slightly bluish becoming pure white, flecked carmine; large; bomb type; rose fragrance; very early; extra strong, vigorous growth, medium height, good stems; blooms very freely; fine. 50c each, \$5.00 per doz.

**Madam Ducl (Mechin, 1880)**—Very large; bright silvery lilac pink; bomb type, petals incurved; fragrant; midseason; stems stout; blooms freely. 75c each.

**Madame Emile Galle (Crousse, 1881)**—Large; soft lilac pink; rose type; fragrant; midseason to late; stems long; blooms freely. 75c each.

**Madame Emile Lemoine (Lemoine, 1899)**—Large; milk white; globular, semi-rose type; midseason; medium height; blooms freely. \$2.00 each.

**Marcelle Dessert (Dessert, 1899)**—Large glossy creamy white, very lightly flecked lilac and carmine; fragrant; crown type; midseason; growth strong, stems medium long. \$3.00 each.

**Marguerite Gerard (Crousse, 1892)**—Large; light hydrangea pink, becoming nearly white; some central petals have minute dark carmine, almost black, flecks on tips; semi-rose type; fragrant; late; strong grower; medium height; strong stems; blooms freely. \$1.00 each.

**Modeste Guerin (Guerin, 1815)**—Large; lively, very bright deep pink with a carmine tint; fragrant; bomb type, perfect shape; midseason; vigorous; upright habit; medium tall strong stems; blooms freely. \$1.00 each.

**Mons. Dupont (Calot, 1872)**—Very large, cup shaped, semi-rose type bloom; ivory white, some petals flaked and edged carmine; late; strong; tall; stout stems; blooms freely. \$1.00 each.

**Mons. Jules Elie (Crousse, 1888)**—Immense; bright silvery lilac pink; bomb type; fragrant; medium early; blooms freely. \$1.50 each.

**Octave Demay (Calot, 1867)**—Very large; delicate hydrangea pink; fragrant; crown type; early; blooms freely; rather dwarf, but low leaf stems permit cutting with good stems. \$1 each.

**Prolifera tricolor (Lemon, 1825)**—A really yellow peony. Guards white barely tinted flesh, center deep sulphur yellow; blooms freely; late, strong stems; when first set the flowers are more nearly anemone type, becoming crown type when established. A novelty. 50c each.

**Queen Emma**—A large, very full, fragrant bright light pink rose type flower; growth strong, erect; stems medium long; blooms freely; midseason to late; an excellent cut flower variety as it ships and keeps exceptionally well. \$1.00 each.

**Queen Victoria; Whitley**—Broad guards; opens bluish, becoming white; fragrant; bomb type; medium early; medium length stems; blooms freely. 30c each, \$3.00 per dozen.

**Reine des Fleurs**—Broad lively carmine red guards, center deep rose; midseason; growth vigorous. 30c each, \$3.00 per doz.

**Single Pink**—50c each, \$5.00 per dozen.

**Single Red**—50c each, \$5.00 per dozen.

**Single White**—50c each, \$5.00 per dozen.

**Therese (Dessert, 1904)**—Very large; rich clear satiny pink changing to lilac white in the center, with glossy reflex; very fragrant; compact rose type; midseason; plant erect, medium tall, compact; blooming habit medium; fine. \$4.00 each.

**Zoe Calot (Mieliez, 1855)**—Very large, very full globular bloom; soft pink tinted lilac; fragrant; midseason; growth strong, upright, good medium height; very stiff stems; blooms freely. 40c each, \$4.00 per dozen.

## Pennant Mixed Peonies

If you want something good at a moderate price and do not care about the names or just what colors you get just so they are nice, order Pennant Mixed. This is not a cheap lot of undesirable varieties but a really good mixture of named peonies, the leading commercial varieties predominating. Do not ask for certain colors of these as they are grown mixed. 25c each, \$2.50 per doz., \$18.00 per 100.

## Peony Surprise Collection

6 for \$2.50; 12 for \$4.50.

We will furnish six good named Peonies, all different, for \$2.50, or twelve all different for \$4.50. At this price the selection must be left to us but we promise you a good selection and good value. Postage extra if wanted by parcel post.



The Peony rivals the rose in fragrance, beauty and variety of form.

## Parcel Post

If wanted by parcel post, allow extra for postage. Any balance will be returned.

# Superb Hardy Phlox



Phlox give brilliant summer effects. Strong field grown plants, \$2.00 per dozen.

**T**HESE are easily grown and give brilliant summer effects. Many are delightfully fragrant. They are excellent in a mixed border, but the most imposing effects are produced by planting masses of each color. Plant 18x24 inches apart.

**PRICES:** Strong field grown plants that bloom the first summer, 20c each; \$2.00 per doz. Six or more at the dozen rate.

**Eclairer**—Rich crimson-carmine, darker eye, lighter halo; strong grower; free bloomer; fine.

**Europea**—White with crimson-carmine eye.

**F. A. Buchner**—A fine large white.

**La Vogue**—Mauve pink, aniline red eye; large floret, heavy truss; tall; blooms freely.

**Miss Lingard**—The earliest in this list; pure white, faint lilac eye; tall, excellent.

**Mrs. Jenkins**—A good early white; a strong grower and a free bloomer.

**Rheinlander**—Beautiful salmon pink.

**R. P. Struthers**—Clear cherry red, with darker eye; large floret, heavy truss; tall; growth strong.

**Rheinstrom**—Salmon-pink, clear and bright; large; a good grower.

**Von Hochberg**—Ideal dark crimson; large.

## Hardy Vines

**T**HESE vines are outdoor grown and not to be confused with the small plants sold at low prices. Five of a kind at the 10 rate, less than five at the each rate.



**Clematis Paniculata; Japanese Clematis**—One of the most beautiful hardy vines with its thousands of pure white four petaled starry flowers in large panicles fairly covering the upper part of the vine in August or September; its fragrance resembles the English Hawthorn; of rapid growth. 2-year 40c each, \$3.50 per 10.

**Honeysuckle, Scarlet Trumpet**—Flowers red, buff inside. 2-year, 40c each.

**Honeysuckle, Hall's Japan**—Almost evergreen; fragrant white flowers, becoming yellow 15c each.

**Wistaria, Purple**—An attractive and rapid grower with numerous hanging clusters of pea-shaped flowers. 1-year, 25c each, \$2.00 per 10.

**Wistaria, White**—A white flower form of the above. 2-year, 30c each, \$2.50 per 10.

## Does Apple Growing Pay?

Listen! One orchard near Troy that cost its owner not to exceed \$1500 in yearly expense, the fruit on the trees was sold this year for \$13,000. Report Kansas State Horticultural Society.

The fragrance of *Clematis paniculata* resembles English Hawthorn.